30 June 1955

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Personnel

SUBJECT

: Applicability of P.L. 737 - 83rd Congress

to Employees of CIA

REFERENCE

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: Memorandum for DAD/P from CGC, Subject as

Above, Dated 14 December 1954

- 1. Your memorandum of 6 June 1955 requests opinions on three questions concerning the applicability of P.L. 737 83rd Congress to employees of CIA.
- 2. We have taken the liberty of paraphrasing your questions and answer them as follows:

Question (a) Can travel for leave purposes be suthorized under P.L. 737 for an employee serving outside the United States, its territories and possessions, when the employee cannot qualify under the terms of P.L. 110 - 81st Congress?

Answer: No. As indicated in our answers to questions 2, 4, and 6 in referenced memorandum, the authorities contained in P.L. 737 and P.L. 110 are separate and distinct.

Question (b) Does the "advance return of dependents" provision under P.L. 737 apply to all Agency employees stationed at overseas posts, both in foreign areas and in territories and possessions (including Trust Territories) of the United States?

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Question (c) Can P.L. 737 be applied to authorize travel for home leave following completion of an Agency prescribed tour of

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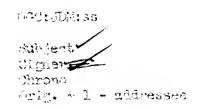
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